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		<b>PETITION</b>	FOR EXTE	NSION OF TIME	
	Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231				
	Sir:				
	The following extension of time is requested to extend the time period for responding to the				
	Office Action mailed October 10, 2001:				
	three	e months to April 10, 2002	; the extension fee is:		
	[ ] \$460.00 (217) [X] \$920.00 (117).				
	[]	The shortened statutory per	iod has been	reset by an Advisory Action dated	_•
	[X]	An extension fee in the amo	ount of \$ <u>920</u>	.00 is enclosed.	_
	[ ] Charge \$ to Deposit Account No. 02-4800.				
	The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R.				
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